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TO: EACH SUPERVISOR

FROM: P. MICHAEL FREEMAN 

GOOD NEWS – CAMP 16

I am pleased to advise you that after many months of searching and evaluating suitable locations, we have a permanent replacement location for the Camp 16 crews and staff (approximately 90 personnel). These crews and staff lost their permanent base of operations near Mount Gleason during the Station Fire.

This new location is the Los Angeles County Probation Department - Camp Karl Holton located at 12653 N. Little Tujunga Canyon Road and has served as a temporary camp for these crews since the Station Fire. Details of the agreement between the two departments are being finalized by our respective staff.

The Fire Department is very appreciative of Chief Probation Officer Robert Taylor's leadership and the cooperation of his staff which have made this relocation possible. Our agreement with the Probation Department is for a minimum of three years and will enable us to continue wildland fire suppression efforts with a full complement of hand crews.

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